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Dental caries inhibitor - contains at least one organic solvent extracts of phytogenous material e.g. ginger, celery seed, and dill seed

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Inhibitor contains at least one organic solvent extracts or steam distillates of phytogenous material selected from a gp. comprising Ginger, Cumin, Celery seed (Fruetus apii), Taragon, Lovage, Valerian, Origanum, Lupulus (Hop), Ambrette seed, Dill seed, Penny royal, Buchu leaf, Tansy, Wine lees, Boehmeria nipononiver Koidz., Zanthoxylum piperitum DC., Japanese wild ginger, Black lek, Areca catechu L. and Acanthopanax sieboldianum as effective component.

Dental plaque is formed on surface of tooth by action of oral microbes, saburra and salivary organic substance etc., Streptococcus mutans synthesises dextran-like polysaccharide from sucrose to promote formation of dental plaque and produces acid from sucrose and the other saccharides to keep the acid in dental plaque and cause dental caries.

Inhibitor inhibits the propagation of microbe in oral cavity, e.g. by Streptococcus mutans. The dental caries-inhibitor may be compounded in oral compsn. such as dentifrice, mouth-wash, chewing gums or intraoral refrigerants.

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